

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Original) A method of transmitting at least one web site update schedule, comprising: receiving said update schedule from a plurality of web sites; and providing the update schedule of selected sites to at least one consumers.

2. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the update schedules of a web site are received by a registration process which provides its update schedule.

3. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the update schedule of a web site are received by crawling the web site.

4. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising sending the update schedule to a consumer in response to identification of one or more web sites in which schedule is desired by a consumer.

5. (Original) The method of claim 4, wherein the identified web sites may be revised.

6. (Original) The method of claim 4, wherein the update schedule is displayed as desired by the consumer without revising the desired web sites.

7. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising: providing consumer access to the desired web sites when the update schedule is displayed.

8. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising: tracking one or more consumer interests, said interests relating to subject matter of one or more identified

web sites.

9 . (Withdrawn) The method of claim 1, further comprising: tracking one or more consumer interests, said interests relating to interests of other consumers of a peer group.

10 . (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising: making recommendations of additional web sites which may be of interest to the consumer.

11 . (Original) The method of claim 10, further comprising: providing consumer access to additional web sites that are recommended.

12 . (Original) The method of claim 10, wherein the recommendation relates to consumer interest as measured by content of the web sites whose update schedule's are of interest to the consumer.

13 . (Withdrawn) The method of claim 10, wherein the recommendation relates to consumer interest as measured by interests of members of said consumer peer group.

14 . (Original) The method of claim 10, wherein the recommendation relates to consumer interest as measured by information obtained from the consumer through registration.

15 . (Withdrawn) The method of claim 1, further comprising: placing advertisements or promotions on the update schedule of the consumer.

16 . (Withdrawn) The method of claim 15, wherein the advertisements or promotions relate to one or more interests of the consumer where said interests are

based on subject matter of the web sites whose update schedules are of interest to the consumer.

1 7 . (Withdrawn) The method of claim 15, wherein the advertisements or promotions relate to one or more interests of the consumer where said interests are based on interests of the members of the consumer peer group.

1 8 . (Withdrawn) The method of claim 15, wherein the advertisements or promotions relate to one or more interests of the consumer where said interests are based on information obtained from the consumer through registration.

1 9 . (Withdrawn) The method of claim 2, further comprising: allowing a registered web site to provide advertisements or promotions to be displayed to the consumer with the web site update schedule.

2 0 . (Original) A system of transmitting at least one web site update schedule, comprising: means for receiving the update schedule from a plurality of web sites; and means for providing the update schedule of selected sites to at least one consumer.

2 1 . (Original) The system of claim 20, wherein the update schedule of a web site are received by a registration process which provides its update schedule.

2 2 . (Original) The system of claim 20, wherein the update schedules of a web site are received by crawling the web site.

2 3 . (Original) The system of claim 20, further comprising means for sending the update schedule to a consumer in response to identification of one or more web sites in which schedule is desired by a consumer.

24 . (Original) The system of claim 23, wherein the identified web sites may be revised.

25 . (Original) The system of claim 23, wherein the update schedule is displayed as desired by the consumer without revising the desired web sites.

26 . (Original) The system of claim 20, further comprising: means for providing consumer access to the desired web sites when the update schedule is displayed.

27 . (Original) The system of claim 20, further comprising: means for tracking one or more consumer interests, said interests relating to subject matter of one or more identified web sites.

28 . (Withdrawn) The system of claim 20, further comprising: means for tracking one or more consumer interests, said interests relating to interests of other consumers of a peer group.

29 . (Original) The system of claim 20, further comprising: means for making recommendations of additional web sites which may be of interest to the consumer.

30 . (Original) The system of claim 29, further comprising: means for providing consumer access to additional web sites that are recommended.

31 . (Original) The system of claim 29, wherein the recommendation relates to consumer interest as measured by content of the web sites whose update schedule's are of interest to the consumer.

3 2 . (Withdrawn) The system of claim 29, wherein the recommendation relates to consumer interest as measured by interests of members of said consumer peer group.

3 3 . (Original) The system of claim 29, wherein the recommendation relates to consumer interest as measured by information obtained from the consumer through registration.

3 4 . (Withdrawn) The system of claim 29, further comprising: means for placing advertisements or promotions on the update schedule of the consumer.

3 5 . (Withdrawn) The system of claim 34, wherein the advertisements or promotions relate to one or more interests of the consumer where said interests are based on subject matter of the web sites whose update schedules are of interest to the consumer.

3 6 . (Withdrawn) The system of claim 34, wherein the advertisements or promotions relate to one or more interests of the consumer where said interests are based on interests of the members of the consumer peer group.

3 7 . (Withdrawn) The system of claim 34, wherein the advertisements or promotions relate to one or more interests of the consumer where said interests are based on information obtained from the consumer through registration.

3 8 . (Withdrawn) The system of claim 21, further comprising: means for allowing a registered web site to provide advertisements or promotions to be displayed to the consumer with the web site update schedule.

3 9 . (Original) A system of transmitting web site update schedule, comprising: a database for receiving update schedule from a plurality of web sites; and

a central processor configured for providing the update schedule of selected sites to at least one consumer.

4 0 . (Original) The system of claim 39, wherein the update schedule of a web site are received by a registration process which provides its update schedule.

4 1 . (Original) The system of claim 39, wherein the update schedule of a web site are received by crawling the web site.

4 2 . (Original) The system of claim 39, wherein the central processor is further configured for further comprising sending the update schedule to a consumer in response to identification of one or more web sites in which schedule is desired by a consumer.

4 3 . (Original) The system of claim 42, wherein the identified web sites may be revised.

4 4 . (Original) The system of claim 42, wherein the update schedule is displayed as desired by the consumer without revising the desired web sites.

4 5 . (Original) The system of claim 39, wherein the processor is further configured for providing consumer access to the desired web sites when the update schedule is displayed.

4 6 . (Original) The system of claim 39, wherein the processor is further configured for tracking one or more consumer interests, said interests relating to subject matter of one or more identified web sites.

4 7 . (Withdrawn) The system of claim 39, wherein the processor is further configured for tracking one or more consumer interests, said interests relating to

interests of other consumers of a peer group.

4 8 . (Original) The system of claim 39, wherein the processor is further configured for making recommendations of additional web sites which may be of interest to the consumer.

4 9 . (Original) The system of claim 48, wherein the processor is further configured for providing consumer access to additional web sites that are recommended.

5 0 . (Original) The system of claim 48, wherein the recommendation relates to consumer interest as measured by content of the web sites whose update schedule's are of interest to the consumer.

5 1 . (Withdrawn) The system of claim 48, wherein the recommendation relates to consumer interest as measured by interests of members of said consumer peer group.

5 2 . (Original) The system of claim 48, wherein the recommendation relates to consumer interest as measured by information obtained from the consumer through registration.

5 3 . (Withdrawn) The system of claim 39, wherein the processor is further configured for placing advertisements or promotions on the update schedule of the consumer.

5 4 . (Withdrawn) The system of claim 53, wherein the advertisements or promotions relate to one or more interests of the consumer where said interests are based on subject matter of the web sites whose update schedules are of interest to the

consumer.

5 5 . (Withdrawn) The system of claim 53, wherein the advertisements or promotions relate to one or more interests of the consumer where said interests are based on interests of the members of the consumer peer group.

5 6 . (Withdrawn) The system of claim 53, wherein the advertisements or promotions relate to one or more interests of the consumer where said interests are based on information obtained from the consumer through registration.

5 7 . (Withdrawn) The system of claim 40, wherein the processor is further configured for allowing a registered web site to provide advertisements or promotions to be displayed to the consumer with the web site update schedule.

5 8 . (Original) Computer executable software code stored on a computer readable medium, the code for transmitting at least one web site update schedule, comprising: code to receiving update schedule from a plurality of web sites; and code to providing the update schedule of selected sites to at least one consumer.

5 9 . (Original) A programmed computer for transmitting web site update schedule, comprising: memory having at least one region for storing executable program code; and a processor for executing program code stored in memory, wherein program code includes: code to receive update schedule from a plurality of web sites; and code to provide the update schedules of selected sites to at least one consumer.

6 0 . (Original) A computer readable medium having computer executable software code stored thereon, the code for transmitting web sites update at least one schedule, comprising: code to receive update schedule from a plurality of web sites; and code to provide the update schedule of selected sites to at least one consumer.